

Forage Improvement & Utilization Program: Producer Report

Deadlines for Producer Reports

Producers must complete all relevant questions on the Producer Report **before** receiving cost-share funds through the Forage Improvement & Utilization Program.

This form is for the Administrator to **keep on-file** for each Producer receiving cost-share funds, and should aid in filling out the reports for this program.

This information will be used to help the Agricultural Development Board evaluate the economic impact of model programs on Kentucky's agricultural economy.

Administrator Information

County: _____

Application Number: _____

General Information

Producer Name: _____

Farm Serial Number (FSN): _____

Social Security Number/TIN: _____

Farm Size of the FSN: _____

Total Cost-share Requesting: _____

Total Project Cost: _____

2a. Project Information - Forage/Pasture/Grain Improvement:

Seed Type (circle one):

Bermudagrass	Multi-Alfalfa & Red Clover	Old World Bluestem
Big Bluestem	Multi-Native Grasses	Orchardgrass
Eastern Gamagrass	Multi-Orchard & Clover	Red Clover
Indiangrass	Multi-Orchard & Timothy	Switchgrass
Ladino	Multi-Other	Timothy
Lime Only (2005 or later)	Multi-Red & Ladino Clover	

Total Project Cost for this cost-share item: _____

Total Cost-share Request for this cost-share item: _____

For all seed types complete 5a-5c; for Lime Only, complete 5d.

5a. Economic Impact Information – Forage/Pasture/Grain Improvement

Main livestock type and average herd size that will benefit from this investment: _____

Varieties Sown: _____

Do you usually seed an improved or certified variety like this one: YES NO

Total Acres Seeded for Hay: _____

Total Acres Seeded for Pasture: _____

How will this forage primarily be used, circle only one:

Hay fed on farm Renovate grass pasture Cash Hay Both Hay & Pasture

If for livestock feed indicate which type(s), circle all that apply:

Beef cows Stockers Dairy cows – lactating Dairy cows & heifers – non lactating

Other _____

5b. Economic/Impact Information – Cash Hay

For cash hay, how do you plan to market: _____

How many bales of the following hay do you sell annually?

Alfalfa	Rolls:	Square Bales:
Clover	Rolls:	Square Bales:
Grass	Rolls:	Square Bales:

5c. Economic/Impact Information – Hay & Pasture

Total acres of hay: _____

Total acres of pasture: _____

Total acres of alfalfa and alfalfa grass hay before this seeding? _____

Total acres of alfalfa grass pasture before this seeding? _____

Total acres of clover grass hay before this seeding: _____

Total acres of clover grass pasture before this seeding: _____

Total acres of grass hay before this seeding: _____

Total acres of grass pasture before this seeding: _____

5d. Economic/Impact Information – Lime Only

Tons of Lime Used: _____

Total Acres Limed: _____

Soil pH of field before liming: _____

Buffer pH of field before liming: _____

Primary use of land that was limed:

Row Crops Pasture Cash Hay Other (specify): _____

For Row Crops, specify type: _____

For cash hay or pasture, specify seed type (e.g. alfalfa, clover, etc.): _____

Is this the first time this land has been limed? Yes No

Annual sales of crop or hay: _____

2b. Project Information - Filter Fabric Pads (Heavy Use Areas)

Average herd size: _____

Total Project Cost for this cost-share item: _____

Total Cost-share Request for this cost-share item: _____

5e. Economic/Impact Information - Filter Fabric Pads

Type of new heavy use area, circle only one:

Hay feeding area

Gate or high traffic area

Base for hay storage

Other: _____

Dimensions of heavy use area to be constructed: _____

Type(s) of livestock that will be impacted and average herd size:

Beef cows _____

Stockers _____

Dairy cows – lactating _____

Dairy cows & heifers – non lactating _____

Other _____

If for hay storage, how many bales storage area holds? _____

Type of hay storage structure, circle only one:

Pole / Post-Frame

Steel Frame

Steel Arch

Tarp Covered Hoop

Other _____

Size of structure (in feet):

Length _____

Width _____

Inside Height _____

2c. Project Information - Fence & Water (Rotational Grazing)

Number of new pasture paddocks through this cost-share: _____

Number of total pasture paddocks after cost-share (must be 3 or more): _____

Do you have an approved "Rotation Grazing Plan?" Yes No

Total Project Cost for this cost-share item: _____

Total Cost-share Request for this cost-share item: _____

5f. Economic/Impact Information - Fence & Water

Total acres of pasture: _____

Total acres put into a rotational plan due to this cost share project: _____

Forage species to be grazed rotationally: _____

Number of watering points available before practice: _____

Number of watering points added: _____

Type(s) of livestock that will be impacted and average herd size:

Beef cows _____ Stockers _____

Dairy cows – lactating _____

Dairy cows & heifers – non lactating _____

Other _____

Stocking rate before practice: _____

Anticipated stocking rate after program: _____

By participating in this program do you plan to (estimates)?

Expand cattle herd, if yes how many head _____

Produce more hay, if yes how much _____

Purchase less hay, if yes how much _____

Other Savings Anticipated (time, labor, etc...): _____

2d. Project Information – Subsurface Drainage (Tiling)

Total acres tiled: _____

Total Project Cost for this cost-share item: _____

Total Cost-share Request for this cost-share item: _____

5g. Economic/Impact Information – Subsurface Drainage

Primary use of tiled land: _____

Before tiling, how often did land flood? _____

Is flooding due to low-lying ground, tributary overflow, or both? _____

Predominate soil series in the field: _____

Average crop yield over the last 3 years: _____

Circle units used: bu/acre ton/acre other: _____

Expected gain in yield, as a result of proper drainage: _____

Circle units used: bu/acre ton/acre other: _____

Expected increase in net farm income: _____

2e. Project Information – Seeding

Custom Seeding Cost/Acre: \$_____

Equipment Rental Cost/Unit: _____ Rental Unit (per day, acre, etc.): _____

Total acres seeded: _____

Total Project Cost for this cost-share item: _____

Total Cost-share Request for this cost-share item: _____